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In the original application mailed September 19, 2003;

Page 24, Claim 13, 1st line (PTO error)

Page 26, ABSTRACT, 2nd line

In the "Substitute Specification with Markings to Show Changes" mailed April 9, 2004;

Page 3, Paragraph 0007

Page 4, Paragraph 0014, 1st line

Page 7, Paragraph 0029, 3rd line

Page 14, Paragraph 0051, 5th line

Page 19, Paragraph 0070, 4th line

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

(57) ABSTRACT, 2nd line, replace "an" with --a--.

Delete paragraph beginning "Automotive" (Column 1, line 62), ending "requirement." (Column 2, line 2).

Column 2, line 52, insert --a-- before "simplified".

Column 3, line 57, delete "an".

Column 7, line 11, delete "of IGBT 5a".

Column 9, line 50, delete "45" (second occurrence).

Column 12, Claim 19, line 37, insert --of-- before "claim".

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